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PATENT 0020-4834P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Kazuo ISHIWARI et al. Conf.:

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated March 2, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application. Please amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.